

# **TOWN ELECTIONS**

## **MONDAY, MAY 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010**

**POLLS OPEN: 7:00 AM - 7:30 PM**

**POST OFFICE LOBBY, PENN PLACE, 4600 WAVERLY AVE**

Any resident who is registered with Montgomery County as a Garrett Park voter may cast a vote. Non-citizen residents who are registered with the Town Office may cast a vote as well. All voters must have registered at least 30 days prior to the election. Be sure to exercise your privilege to vote and **remain active on the voter registration file**. Persons who do not vote for five successive years are removed from the rolls.

**JUDGES OF ELECTION:** Judy Heyman, Brenda Artim and Margaret Goldsborough.  
Alternate Judge is Cliff Tarry.

### **EMERGENCY ABSENTEE BALLOTS**


If you are unable to get to the polls on Election Day you may call the Town Office (301 933-7488) to request an absentee ballot if you meet the requirements of the law governing the issuance of emergency absentee ballots: "...if, as a condition of [your] employment, [you] are required to be absent from the Town...or [are] unable to be physically present at the polls as a result of illness or accident..."; the Judges of Election will determine your eligibility and arrange to have an emergency absentee ballot issued to you.

### **ELECTIONEERING AT THE POLLS**

A reminder that our laws state that no person shall canvass, electioneer or post any campaign material in any polling place or within a fifty (50) foot radius of the polling place on election day. "Posting of any campaign material" is broadly interpreted to mean the wearing of any article of clothing, hat, sticker, or button that indicates support of or opposition to any candidate, as well as signs, pamphlets and the like.

### **CHALLENGERS, WATCHERS, AND OTHER ELECTION OBSERVERS**

The Judges of Election will be regulating poll watchers in accordance with Section 10-311 of the Election Law Article of the *Annotated Code of Maryland* and Regulation 33.07.07 of the Code of Maryland Regulations. This law permits certain individuals (called challengers or watchers) to be present in polling places on election day and observe the opening, voting, and closing procedures conducted by the Judges of Election and allows any individual to observe other election processes. All persons who wish to observe the election and/or the counting of ballots are required to register with the Judges of Election. Please contact the Town Office for more information and, if you wish, a registration form.

	<b>Town of Garrett Park</b>
	<b>SAMPLE BALLOT</b>
	General Election: May 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2010
<b>FOR MAYOR:</b>	
Vote for 1 for a two-year Term	
Chris KELLER	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>FOR COUNCIL:</b>	
Vote for 2 for a two-year Term	
Chuck BERRY	<input type="checkbox"/>
Beth IRONS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bill RIVERS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hans WEGNER	<input type="checkbox"/>